MR. K. G. GOVINDAN (*Pattanamthitta*): May I know for whom the special English Middle School, Kulakada, is intended?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: It is intended for the Malayala Brahmins.

MR. K. G. GOVINDAN: May I know why members of other communities are not admitted in that school?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: It is because the institution is maintained for the purpose of safeguarding certain of their social customs and imparting religious instruction.

PRESIDENT: I dare say that in course of time all these distinctions will go down but we cannot force reforms on certain communities.

MR. T. C. KESAVA PILLAI (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*): മേലാൽ പ്രവേശനവിളംബരം അനുസരിച്ച് എല്ലാവർക്കും പ്രവേശനം ഉണ്ടെന്നു വരികിലും അതിൽ ചിലർക്ക് റിസ്ട്രിക്ഷൻസ് ഇല്ലേ?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: എനിക്കറിഞ്ഞുകൂടാ.

MR. MURUKKUMPUZHA V. KUNJUKRISHNAN (*Neyyattinkara* cum *Trivandrum*): May I know whether there is any special reason for a Mohammedan Primary School at Kottar?

MR. A. GOPALA MENON: There is no special reason as far as I know. At the time the institution was started there were separate schools for Hindus. So to encourage Mohammedans in the locality this school was started.

PRESIDENT: Order, Order. The question is more or less of historical importance really. Take for instance, British India. There are Zamindars schools, there are Noblemen Schools and there are schools for the children of Ruling Princes. They are all given very large grants by the Government of India. A time will no doubt come when all these distinctions will be regarded as meaningless and all these schools may have to admit everybody in pursuance to growing ideas. But there are certain communities who have been, or who were very conservative in this matter. These schools were orginally started and continued. But if there is a general feeling amongst the communities themselves and amongst other communities that they should also participate in the work of tution and instruction along with other communities, nobody will be more pleased than Government to see that there are no such special schools.

Telephone Public Call Office at Attingal.

2 * MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN: Will the Government be pleased to state whether they have decided to establish a Telephone Public Call Office at Attingal?

MR. D. GAINNEOS (*Secretary to Government*): No.

MR. VARKALA K. MADHAVAN: May I know whether Government have received any representation from the public of Attingal?

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MR. D. GAINNEOS: Government have no information about it.

MR. M. R. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Thiruvella*): In view of the fact that there is no public call office nearer to Attingal than Quilon or Trivandrum, is it not advisable to have a public call office at Attingal?

MR. D. GAINNEOS: Yes, Sir. But the revenue from it will not be sufficient even to meet the working expenses.

PRESIDENT: Has the honourable member looked at page 2 of the appendix where it is stated that there are public call offices established at places where there have been 15 calls in 10 months. Unless the honourable member is able to assure a large number of calls for this station, it will be somewhat difficult to establish a public call office there.

MR. PADIYARA JOSEPH KUNJU: പബ്ലിക്ക് ടെല്ലിഫോൺ കാൾ ആഫീസ് ഏർപ്പെടുത്താൻ എന്തു മിനിമം ഉണ്ടാകും?

MR D. GAINNEOS: That depends on the distance of the place from the Trivandrum Trunk Call office.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI (*Tiruvalla*): May I know from Government whether they have fixed any minimum amount of income for opening a public call office at any place?

MR. D. GAINNEOS: The minimum amount is that it should be able to meet the expenses of that station.

MR. PULIYOOR T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI: May I know from Government whether the amount of Rs. 7-12-10, the income shown against the Villikuri Anchal Office is sufficient for maintaining a public call office at that place?

MR. D. GAINNEOS: Yes.

Public Phone Call Offices.

3. *MR. P. SIVARAMA PILLAI (*Meenachil* cum *Todupuzha*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the places where there are Public Phone Call Offices;

(*b*) the income and number of calls from each of these offices from 1-1-1116 to 1-11-1116;

(*c*) whether there are applications from the public of several places for installing public call offices; and

(*d*) if so, how many and from which all places?

MR. D. GAINNEOS (*Secretary to Government*): (*a*), (*b*), (*c*) and (*d*) *Statements furnishing the information are laid on the table.

MR. P. SIVARAMA PILLAI: From appendix 1 (b) we find that in a certain office the income was less than Rs. 7. Is it the member's view that the Kayankulam Public Office, if it is opened now, will not bring even this much revenue?

MR. D. GAINNEOS: The member is referring to the Villikuri Public Call Office. That office is maintained because it is near the main line from Trivandrum to Nagercoil.

Vide Appendix I.

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